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The President Says:

Of course all of us will observe the "Blackout" next Monday night. We will do as we are asked to do, by whatever authority. Curiosity will not cause us to go out on the streets, nor will selfishness make us follow our own desires. We can at least comply fully, freely and gladly with all requests. And we will!

UEL W. LAMKIN
President

Local Teachers Association Is Planning Work

Report Sets Forth Plan for Future Education and Training of Teachers.

Committee Leads in Work

Work Done by Members of College Faculty Approved by District Teachers Association

Work done by the Community Teachers Association of the Northwest Missouri State Teachers College is meeting the approval of agencies outside the College. The executive committee of the Northwest Missouri District Teachers Association went on record as supporting the plan endorsed by the Community Teachers Association; and the secretary of the Missouri State Teachers Association has asked for copies of the report submitted to the Community Teachers Association at its last meeting, saying that he concurs one hundred per cent in its suggestions and that he wishes to distribute the copies of the report to the executive committee of the State Association.

The details of the plan presented to and endorsed by the local Community Teachers Association, made up of members of the College faculty, were worked out by a committee on Education and the War appointed by Mr. Somerville and the other officers of the Association. On the committee were Miss Chloe Millikan, chairman; Mr. Julian C. Aldrich, Miss Olive S. DeLuce, Mr. J. W. Hake, and Mr. Eugene E. Seubert.

The essential part of the report follows:

"Since teaching of children and youth is essential to adequate preparation of youth people for war and post-war service, and

"Since the profession has lost many of its valuable members because of the drain of the armed forces and war industry, and

"Since many of these placed in the teaching profession in recent months are immature and untrained, to the detriment of the schools, and

"Since there is usually a high turnover in teaching and administrative positions;

"THEREFORE, we believe:

"1. In regard to the teacher training program

a. that the training of qualified teachers must be regarded as an urgent necessity, and

b. that able persons should be encouraged to prepare for this essential work,

c. that training should be offered these persons on the highest possible level of professional competence;

"2. In regard to the improvement of teachers in service

a. that principals, superintendents, and teachers should immediately set up in-service programs to include experienced teachers and those who have recently entered the profession, and

b. that stimulation and encouragement should be provided by state and regional associations to a coordinated program to bring specialists in teacher training, guidance

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History Course Given by Mr. Dildine Is Timely

Offered this quarter for the first time is History 57, taught by Mr. Dildine. It is called "The Conflict in Asia" and is a study of those material and cultural interests and those international movements and policies because of which various Western states have come to find their position in Asia so seriously challenged. The course gives special emphasis to China, India, Russia in Asia, and Japan and to their relations with the United States, Great Britain, and The Netherlands.

The course is offered at 9:25 and special arrangements have been made for people to audit the course.

Miss Holliday Elected Second Vice-President

Miss Frances Holliday, principal of Eugene Field school, was elected second vice-president of the Missouri State Teachers Association at the state meeting held in Kansas City the last four days of last week.

H. S. Thomas, superintendent of schools here, was elected to a committee which will decide where the next state teachers meeting will be held. Mr. Thomas represents Northwest Missouri on the committee.

O'Neillians' Plays Are Well Received

Entire Club Makes Sets for Two Plays Directed by Merton Haynes

Two plays by the O'Neillians, under the direction of Mr. John Rudin, were presented to an enthusiastic assembly last Wednesday.

The first play, "Two Crooks and a Lady," was laid in the fashionable New York apartment of Mrs. Sims-vane (Rachael Taul), whose paralyzed body and active mind played an important part in the catching of the two crooks. When Mrs. Sims-vane discovered that Miller the Hawk (Merton Haynes), a crook, was banded with her maid (Martha Friede), she contrived to play one against the other until they were arrested by a police inspector (Morris Spangler). Miss Jones (Joyce Pink) was a companion to Mrs. Sims-vane.

The setting for the second play, "Thank You, Doctor," was in the outer office of Dr. Gurney, an efficient psychiatrist. Excitement ran high when Dr. Gurney (Junior Johnson) was forced to cope with two apparently insane persons in one day. Because of the cleverness of the plot, Denny Cort (Jack Curran), was suspected of being an insane man, and his demand for a string of pearls carried out this suspicion. His innocence was proved only after a long tussle with Dr. Gurney, who was aided by his valuable assistant, Nurse Gray (Betty Scott).

Mrs. Lester (Emma Ruth Kendall), who was apparently interested in the improvement of her brother's health, was found to be an impostor when the insane patient (Merton Haynes), brought about her arrest.

The play ended at its highest point and left the audience to draw its own conclusions as to the outcome of the plot.

Merton Haynes directed both the plays. Maxine Hoernem and Clara Allen were property chaperones. Betty Lee Carter was prompter and Ernest Ploghoft was electrician and stage manager. The entire membership of the O'Neillians participated in making the sets for the plays.

Eight Students Finish Degree Requirements

Eight students completed requirements for the Bachelor of Science degree at the end of the Fall Quarter. They were Hazel Bullinger, Maryville; Harold Joseph Flammang, Sedalia; Anna Jane Gorsuch, Guilford; Betye Anne Harazin, Alexandria; Louisiana; Marlin Willis Johnson, Washington, D. C.; Carl G. Nurski, St. Joseph; Nva Marie Ross, Guilford; and Olive Jo Saunders Stewart, Maryville.

Mr. Flammang, who is in the Naval V-7 program, is now teaching at Maryville high school. Miss Gorsuch is teaching in Guilford. Mr. Johnson is with the F. B. I. in Washington, D. C. Mr. Nurski was inducted into the army at the close of the Fall Quarter. Miss Ross is third grade room teacher at Horace Mann. Mrs. Stewart is with her husband, in Buffalo, New York.

Mr. Rudin, chairman of the Speech Department, participated in a panel discussion at the Teachers' Meeting in Kansas City on Friday, December 4. His subject was "Changing Methodology of Training Teachers of Speech."

Students Will Be Expected to Obey Rules of Blackout

December 14, From 10 p.m. Until 10:20, College to Be Completely Dark.

Instead of a Red Letter day, the College this quarter is celebrating a Blackout night. December 14, the College, with all the states of the Seventh Defense Region, will be blacked out from ten o'clock in the evening until ten-twenty.

Despite the fact that an important piece of war production is going on at the College, the blackout is to be complete. Mr. Donald Valk announces that work in the production center will stop for twenty minutes—a rest period will be shifted to that time.

Mr. W. W. Cook, chairman of the College Committee on War Effort, is coordinating blackout preparations at the College. Miss Dorothy Truex, Mr. J. W. Hake, and Miss Ruth Miller, air raid wardens are assisting.

Mr. Cook urges that the blackout be taken seriously. It is planned to make this blackout an opportunity for everybody to learn what is expected of him in an emergency which would necessitate a complete blackout. All violations and failure of citizens to cooperate will be reported to headquarters.

Suggestions being given to citizens in Maryville will apply to all students and should be followed. The blackout is to be a test not only of the efficiency of the Civilian Defense forces, but of the spirit of the citizens.

For the convenience of students who may not see the regulations elsewhere, they will be repeated here.

The blackout time will be indicated by the air-raid warning signal of two minutes of sounding of the fire siren. The blackout will continue until the all-clear signal of one minute of wailing by the siren.

The State Council of Defense sends out the following rules to be observed during the blackout:

1. Don't hurry, push, or crowd.
2. Be calm and cool.
3. Be quiet—don't scream.
4. Be orderly.
5. Don't jostle or engage in scuffling.
6. DO NOT CROSS THE STREET.

8. At the warning signal ALL traffic must cease. Park your car parallel to the curb and extinguish ALL lights at once. Remain near-by. You may remain seated therein but do not SMOKE, light matches or flashlights, or use any lights whatsoever. You may double park when so directed by police.

9. No SMOKING, lighting of MATCHES or FLASHLIGHTS, is permitted on sidewalks, in doorways, in alleys, or any open place.

10. At the All-Clear signal you may resume your activities, but please do not hurry.

11. All lights in homes, stores, public buildings, apartments, etc., MUST be extinguished until All-Clear signal of the siren.

12. In the event of fire alarm, the Fire Department will proceed as usual and street lights may be turned on during their run to such fire. Such emergency and official vehicles will proceed cautiously so as not to endanger persons or property.

13. Keep off the roofs. Certain building owners have granted the use of the roofs of their buildings to Military and Civilian Defense officials for the purpose of viewing the results, but this is NOT to be allowed to all.

14. DO NOT use the telephone during the period of the blackout or for 30 minutes thereafter, except for vital necessities such as calling the fire or police departments, doctors, etc. (This is to relieve congestion in our local telephone exchange.)

15. We wish you to LEARN what TO do, and what NOT to do, and HOW to act under a real raid.

Informal Recital to Be Given at Horace Mann

Nine students will present an informal recital, to be attended only by music majors and minors, in the Music Room at Horace Mann this afternoon at 4 p. m.

Plans students of Miss Alice Isley who will play are Alice Eden and Dorothy Steeby.

Lynetta Weigel, voice student of Mrs. Hazel Carter, will sing. Violin students of Miss Ruth Nelson who will appear are Margaret Baker, Faye Perry, and Lloyd Graham.

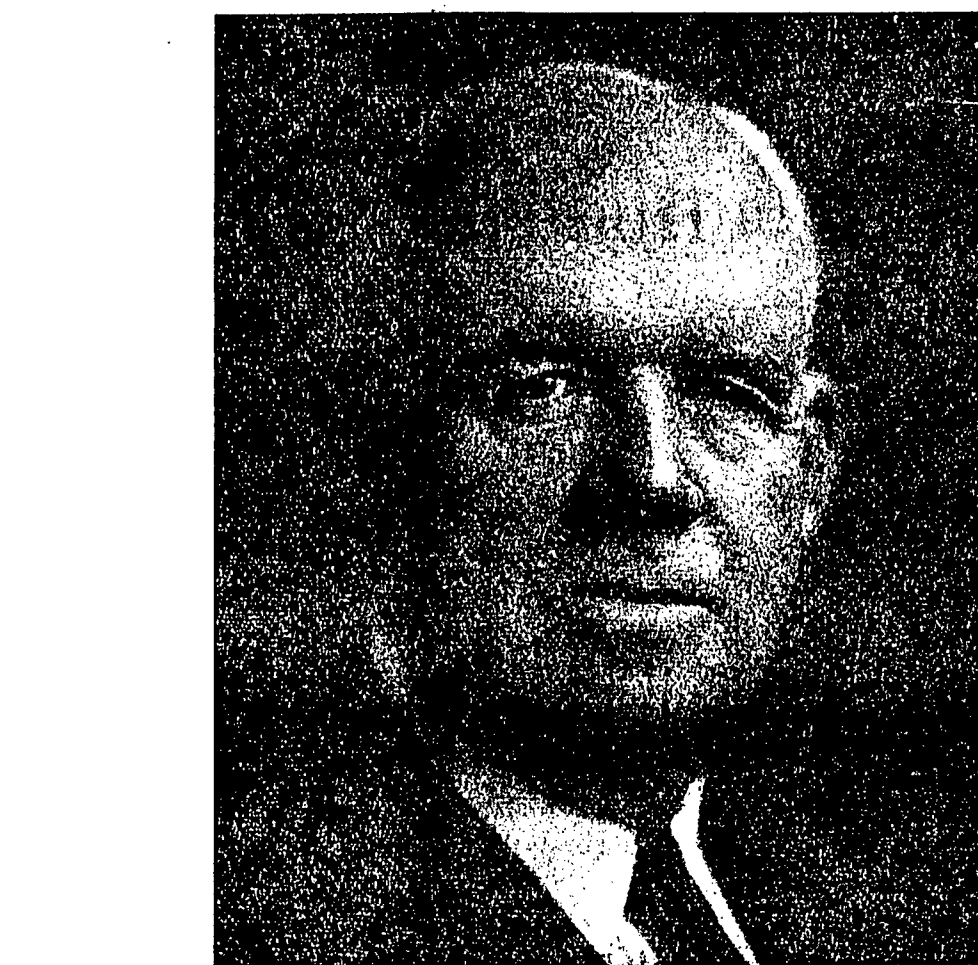
Students of Mr. Virgil Parman who will appear on the program are Harold Hall, trombonist; and Charles Harvey and Kenneth Combs, both of whom will sing.

He Has Seen It All!

Mr. George H. Colbert of the Mathematics department of the College got some fun out of the S. J. Ray cartoon in the Kansas City Star of last Wednesday. It brought back vivid memories.

The cartoon, showed horizontally into five spaces, divided the evolution of man's way for getting about. First, in corn-skin cap and heavy clothing, the man used his own legs when he wished to get anywhere. "The way I went to country school in 1870," was the comment of Mr. Colbert.

The second picture showed the ox-team pulling the wagon. "The way my grandfather went to church at Savannah, Missouri, in the early days," said the mathematics teacher. "The way I got about in Page



MR. UEL W. LAMKIN, President

President Would Apportion Teachers and Moneys

"The Executive Committee is authorized to formulate and promote the adoption of a program designed to make it possible for every child in Missouri to be taught by a qualified and competent teacher, even during the duration of the war."

With that amendment to the Report of the Committee on Resolutions, President Uel W. Lamkin of the Northwest Missouri State Teachers College at Maryville made the headlines of the metropolitan as well as smaller newspapers of the state and nation when he went before the House of Delegates of the Missouri State Teachers Association meeting in Kansas City and proposed it.

After discussion, the amendment was adopted almost unanimously.

With his amendment, President Lamkin suggested a program, which, in effect, may be summed up as a plan to ration teachers. Five points he suggested.

1. Secure such legislation as may be necessary to permit the State Council of Defense (or some other agency) to apportion qualified, certified, and available teachers to counties and school districts in proportion to the needs.

2. Give competent teachers larger average pupil loads, and pay them enough to keep them in the profession.

3. Apportion the state moneys to such units as cooperate in the program.

4. Where schools are combined for the emergency, allow subsidies to parents who provide transportation, possibly in "horse and buggy" more than a minimum distance to get to school, in case group transportation is not feasible.

5. The following "safeguards" should be maintained:

(a) Local county authority (County Council of Defense or some other designated non-political group) should direct school authorities to make such combinations of classes, rooms, and schools as may be necessary.

(b) No district boundary lines are to be changed, and no district is to lose its organization through the operation of the program.

(c) The local school board shall select teachers, fix salaries, and have the same control over local schools they now have.

(d) A district which elects not to cooperate in the program is to be allowed to maintain its school on funds raised by local taxation.

(e) Those charged with the administration of the program shall take every precaution to retain in present positions experienced teachers who have served in such positions a minimum time. The program proposes that, where feasible, vacancies not be filled, but the work be absorbed by the competent teachers who still remain.

(f) Authority granted under this program is to expire on July 1 following the end of the war in which the United States of America is now engaged.

President Lamkin arrived at his conclusion that such a plan as he outlines is necessary by a study of the situation as it is today in Missouri with reference to a serious shortage of qualified and competent teachers, due to the War and to the attempt to have a teacher in practically every school room regardless of school population. He quoted statistics to show that Missouri's school population has been decreasing, whereas the number of teachers being certified has been increasing. The placing this year of many incompetent teachers in schools left without teachers through the resignation of qualified teachers is a condition which should not be allowed to continue, he believes. His belief that the situation is extremely serious led him to go before the House of Delegates and ask for permission to present his amendment.

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Legislators From College District Meet on Campus for Discussion

CONTRIBUTIONS

Do you write? Essays? Short stories? News stories? Editorials? Poetry? Jokes? Sports stories? Whatever it is, you may be able to see it in print in the Northwest Missourian if you submit it.

The editor is of the opinion that there are college students who have a talent for writing in some of the above-mentioned fields, but who may not feel that they have an opportunity to have anything printed. The purpose of this notice is to invite such students to contribute to the college paper.

Any such articles as those mentioned, or those of any description, may be turned in to the Northwest Missourian by placing them in the box labeled, "Contributions," which will be found on the editor's desk in the Northwest Missourian office, Room 215, east door. All articles setting forth personal opinions will be signed when they appear in the paper. All signed contributions will be given attention. Anonymous contributions will be consigned to the wastebasket.

Miss Dow Attends A A U W Meeting

Hears Famous People at Herald-Tribune Forum Evening Sessions

Miss Blanche H. Dow, head of the Department of Foreign Languages, attended the regular fall meeting of the Committee on Membership and Maintaining Standards of the American Association of University Women. The meeting was held in New York City in the middle of November.

While Miss Dow was in New York, she went to the evening session of the Herald-Tribune Forum, a women's forum sponsored by the Herald-Tribune. Admission to the Forum is by invitation only, and to it 5000 people from all parts of the country are invited. It was held in the grand ballroom of the Waldorf Astoria.

Some of the speakers Miss Dow heard were Chief Justice Byrnes, Economic Director; Eric Johnston, President of the National Chamber of Commerce; Juan Trippe, President of the Pan-American Airways; Mary Agnes Hamilton, British Labor leader, Major de Seversky, author of Victory Through Air Power, Wendell Willkie, Sumner Welles, Under-secretary of State; Davis Bowes-Lyon, youngest brother of Queen Elizabeth of England. The final address of the Forum is always given by the President of the United States by broadcast.

As an interesting part of the Forum, Miss Dow mentioned a group of young men in uniform of the United Nations who had escaped from subjugated countries to throw their effort into the struggles for their liberation. One was a young Norwegian who is now instructor in flying at a Canadian airbase, who spoke of the struggles of Norway. A seventeen-year-old Greek told of his escape from Greece to join the fighting forces of Britain.

The climax of this part of the program lay in the moving address of a seventeen-year-old Pole whose father had been killed during the first Nazi onslaught against Warsaw, whose mother had then instructed her children how to flee from their country, who had finally escaped to Norway and fought with the Norwegian troops until he lost a leg. As he finished his brief address, the military attache of the Norwegian embassy at Washington D. C. paid a glowing tribute to his courage and to his accomplishment and in the name of King Haakon VII of Norway pinned on him the highest decoration which is accorded by the Norwegian government for "extraordinary bravery and combat."

Stephen LaMar Writes Article on Religion

Mr. Stephen G. LaMar, a graduate of the College and a former member of the faculty, is the writer of an article entitled "The United Christian Education Advance," published in the November number of The Christian Reville. Mr. LaMar is now City-Wide Boys' Secretary of the Y.M.C.A. in St. Joseph.

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Thanksgiving Program Closes Fall Quarter

Miss Hilda Hamblin, a graduate of the College, and now a teacher at Arton, Iowa, was soloist with the College Chorus in a patriotic ode, "The Call to Freedom," by Victor Herbert, at the Thanksgiving Assembly on Wednesday, November 25.

The College Chorus under the direction of Mr. Reven S. DeJarnette also sang the "Motet from Cantata No. 28" by Johann Sebastian Bach.

Mr. Eugene E. Seubert delivered the Thanksgiving Address, emphasizing the importance of study for the college student and the opportunities of the student for such study in present-day schools.

Fourteen Years Ago Men Elected for Assembly Began Meeting.

Alumni Started Tradition

Inelement Weather Conditions Keep Many From Attending; Some Wives Are Here.

Eleven senators and representatives who represent the nineteen counties of the Northwest Missouri State Teachers College district were guests of the College on Monday, November 30, invited by the Alumni Association of the College to come for a day of informal discussion of the problems facing them in the work of the General Assembly of Missouri. Bad weather conditions and icy roads kept many of the legislators away.

These legislators' meetings have been held biennially for the last fourteen years and are looked forward to by men who are to go to Jefferson City. "When I first came here," said Representative Randall R. Kitt of Chillicothe, who was attending his third Legislators' Day, "the opportunity for me as a new man to meet older, more experienced legislators helped in keeping my feet on the ground."

Mr. Kitt went on to say, "Our legislators' job is a year round one. We're not only businessmen, but business men of the state. We handle the business of the state; it is the largest business in the state, and the most responsible. I hope the State Legislative Assembly day will continue for a long time in the future." That seemed to be the consensus of opinion.

The meeting this year was different from those of former years in that there were no state officers present. They had been invited and had been expected to tell the legislators, especially the ones who are new in the work, something of the various state departments. The bad weather made it impossible for them to attend.

The meeting, in consequence of the absence of the men from the state departments, was wholly informal. Senator Clark McCall of Westboro served as chairman for the discussion period, which continued from nine-thirty until noon.

At noon, the visitors and their wives were guests at a luncheon given for them by the Alumni Association at the Maryville Country Club. The members of the Board of Regents of the College, meeting that day, were also guests, and its president, Mr. E. C. Curfman of Maryville, welcomed the legislators.

Approximately 75 attended the luncheon. Maryville business men, and members of the faculty and their wives attended. The Rotary Club and the Men's Forum met at luncheon with the legislators. President Lamkin served as toastmaster. Mrs. Lamkin was present.

The legislators present at the discussion session and the luncheon were Senator McCall of Westboro and W. R. Walker of Richmond; Representatives E. C. McVey of Rea, Dr. J. A. Gray of Watson; Lewis H. Wallace and William R. Nelson of St. Joseph; Joe E. Miller of Carrollton, Urin Salmon of Pattonsburg, Earl S. Cook of Trenton, W. R. Weightman of Mound City, and Randall R. Kitt of Chillicothe.

The wives of legislators present were Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Cook, Mrs. Gray, Mrs. McVey, and Mrs. Walker.

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Mrs. Davis Attends Two Meetings in Kansas City

Mrs. Jewell Ross Davis, director of public relations for the College, went to Kansas City, Monday, November 30, to attend meetings of the American College Publicity Association and the American Alumni Council. The meetings were held on Monday and Tuesday, at Hotel President.

On Tuesday morning, Miss Davis presided at the general session of the ACPA. This meeting was attended by publicity directors from four states, Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, and Missouri.

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THE COLLEGE OATH

"We will never bring disgrace to this, our College, by any act of cowardice or dishonesty. We will fight for the ideals and sacred things of the College. We will reverence and obey the College laws and do our best to incite a like respect and reverence in others. We will transmit this College to those who come after us, greater, better, and more beautiful than it was transmitted to us.

SHOW ENTHUSIASM

Why should there be such an apparent lack of enthusiasm among college students? Surely, in the various activities that make up college life, there are some things worth getting excited about. This lack of enthusiasm is noticeable not only at athletic events and such places where mass demonstration of enthusiasm is likely to be shown, but more prominently in subject matter fields.

College students are prone to attend classes day by day as a sort of ritual to be undergone in order to obtain the necessary credits. Anything said or done in these classes strikes them indifferently. They show no response—no reaction of any kind. It is observed that even students doing class work in their major fields show a remarkable lack of interest in their work. Something is definitely wrong with an indifferent attitude of this kind.

Indifference is the worst of attitudes. It stifles all progress because of a lack of interest. Development and growth are impossible when they are not encouraged by an active and open mind, willing to see, to judge, and to evaluate. Indifference is laziness of the worst kind and must be combated as such.

Scientific studies have shown that those students interested in a course obtain much more value from it than those who are not interested. If students have no interest in a subject, they may well remember that a lack of interest often comes about through a lack of knowledge. They should endeavor to learn to do things they dislike doing. A mind which approaches a subject with eagerness will certainly pay greater rewards than one which is passive and indifferent.

Learning is exciting! The quest for ideas is a thrilling adventure for those who will let it be such. The world is built on ideas. Ideas are more powerful than weapons, but they cannot work if they are defeated by an indifferent attitude. It is worthwhile for students to rouse themselves out of their indifference and attempt to grasp the power of an idea. The attitude of open mindedness and, finally, enthusiasm for an idea once firmly implanted in a mind will always overcome indifference.

ODDS AND ENDS

"The Hornet's Buzz," a paper put out by the students of North Kansas City High School, calls its column about men in service "Road to Victory."

DeQuincey gets into Corinne G. Holman's column in The Maitland Herald through his habit of moving out of his writing and working quarters in London and locking the doors who nthe quarters became so crowded with books and papers that he couldn't work any more. Seven such locked rooms were found when DeQuincey died! Sometimes the editor and the adviser to the staff wonder if they ought not to move out and lock the doors of the Northwest Missourian office. Then comes the day of going to press, when desks are cleared off—ready to start all over again!

Quotable Quotes

"Not more than 1 per cent of the nation's population can eat their full ration of sugar without harm to their teeth." Dr. Herman Beeks, professor of dental medicine at the University of California.

When?

The Board of Regents rescinded the ban on social fraternities and sororities at a meeting held June 24, 1926.

Sigma Sigma Sigma, first social sorority, was installed on March 17-19, 1927.

Sigma Tau Gamma, the first social fraternity on the campus, was installed on April 2, 1927.

Alpha Sigma Alpha, social sorority, was installed on the campus on May 10, 1928.

Phi Sigma Epsilon, social fraternity replacing Sigma Mu Delta, was installed on the campus, December 13, 1938.

Mr. Charles R. Gardner organized the first Northwest Missouri High School Orchestra, which appeared at the District Teachers Association, October 13-15, 1927.

The first Hockey Tournament was played on the campus, October 23-25, 1928.

STAND BY YOUR PRAYERS

With seeming confusion rampant, and unconstructive criticism the ready tool of subtle propaganda, the time has come for those of us whose strength is grounded in faith to stand steadfastly by our prayers. Thus by our very calm may we prove the truth of our position.

This is no time to quibble over creed or race. This is no time to consume energy in needless discussion, nor smatter intelligence in wasteful indecision. That which is negative has no value.

The most powerful antidote in the universe to evil of any nature is a firm conviction that good alone is power, and good alone will endure.

To the degree in which we make that knowledge a part of our being, to the degree in which we impart that knowledge to those less fortunate in their understanding, will we bring good into existence as a force that brooks no opposition. And only as we stand firmly by our prayers, steadfastly refusing to be dissuaded from our resolve, will the binding mesmerism of evil be routed.

Let us not limit our power by dissipating our purpose. Let us rather... unite at this moment in a firm resolve to stand by our prayers and thank God for the blessings that are ours. Then only will we harvest the good that is plentiful.

—Gertrude M. Puelicher, Editor, The Press Woman.

READ BULLETIN BOARDS

Bulletin boards are placed in the halls for the convenience of students. The announcements placed on these boards are pertinent and should be of interest to all. The Student Senate has a representative appointed to see that announcements are removed from the boards whenever they are no longer of any value.

Bulletin boards are to be read. Students have no one but themselves to blame when their book fines mount up or they fail to keep an important appointment because they did not read the bulletin boards. The main bulletin board on first floor contains announcements of interest to all students, and should be read at least once each day by all students. Other boards throughout the building are of particular interest to students working in certain departments. These should not be neglected as faculty members attempt to put material there which is of interest to students in their particular departments.

Last week an important announcement asking all new students to leave their addresses in the Northwest Missourian office was put on the bulletin board. At the end of the day only six people had left addresses, which represent only a small fraction of new students in college this quarter.

New students are by no means the only offenders in not reading bulletin boards, as many old announcements often are left on the boards for weeks because students pretend not to see their names or fail to do anything about it.

Read the bulletin board!

What Your Senate Does

OFFICERS

Barbara Kowitz.....President
Eddie Johnson.....Vice-President
Mary Hartness.....Secretary
Gordon Overstreet.....Treasurer
Glen Bush.....Parliamentarian

Class Representatives
Senior Senators—Mary Hartness, Gordon Overstreet, Nadean Allen, and Pauline Liggott.
Junior Senators—Elnae Gorsuch, Paul Smith, Irene Heideman, and Rex Adams.
Sophomore Senators—Glen Bush, Eleanor Peck, Beverly Blagg, and Chester Parks.

Business Meeting, November 17

A sample Student Senate key was presented to the members of the Senate for their approval. Each senator who has served three terms has the right to wear a key, which bears a special gold insignia and the initials of the wearer.

It was decided to renew the subscription to Life magazine.

The YMCA was granted the right to use the Student Center on November 19, and Pi Omega Pi was granted the right to use the Center on November 23 for business meetings.

A motion was made to the effect that any organization using Student Center furniture must request this furniture through a regular meeting of the Senate, or pay a fine of fifty cents.

A motion was made to keep open

Business Meeting, December 1

The Senate decided to have a whole page in this year's Tower.

Mr. Bert Cooper, a member of the county Tuberculosis Association, was present at the meeting and discussed the need for the annual Christmas tuberculosis stamp sale. A motion was made that the Senate sponsor the sale of stamps, through the heads of the various campus or-

ganizations. Glen Bush offered to write letters to each organization concerning the sale of tuberculosis stamps and also to make a short talk in assembly announcing the stamp drive.

The Student Senate Plaque, made by Chester Parks, was presented to the Senate. A motion was made that Mr. Parks be paid for making the plaque.

Book Review

GET THEE BEHIND ME—

by Hartzell Spence 376 pgs.

The sub-title of this book is "My life as a preacher's son." If you have always wondered why p. k.'s (preachers' kids) are so apt to be in trouble, or at least in the thick of things most of the time, you will find "Get Thee Behind Me" an illuminating document on this subject. This book is a candid and hilarious description of what life is like to youngsters reared in the shadow of the church steeple. This story chronicles the tussles of three youngsters with Satan, who was constantly tugging at their coattails, and often getting them into trouble with the aid of the head usher or the president of the Ladies' Aid Society.

The author, Hartzell Spence, lived in midwest manse which life did not teach him how to cope with a girl who wanted to be kissed. He didn't cope—he kissed. His sister had problems with a young man with a red Packard—and was ejected from the parsonage by the minister father. The youngest brother in the family fared very well because of the battles which his older siblings had waged and won.

Readers who remember the hilarious "One Foot in Heaven" by this same author will be eager to start reading more details of life with father—a father who put his ministerial duties above his fatherly duties until his son brought him around to another way of thinking. This book is brimful of humor, and gives an occasional tug at the heart, too.

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RENTAL LIBRARY COMMITTEE
Dorothy Truex

BULLETIN BOARD

LAST CHANCE

Enlistments in Army ERC or in the Navy V-1, V-5, or V-7 programs will be accepted to December 15, provided that the student has started the process prior to December 5. Interested students should see Dean Jones at once.

Reserve Room Moved

The Reserve Room of the College Library has been moved upstairs into the general Reading Room. All books are to be checked out at the main charging desk on second floor. This was done in order to economize on the heating and lighting expenses of the campus.

Bandage Room

There have been sufficient number of students who have indicated their interest in working in a Red Cross bandage room on the campus. An organization meeting of the group will be held in Room 207 Thursday evening, December 10th. If you have already indicated your interest or would like to participate, be sure to attend this brief but important meeting. Faculty members and faculty wives are also cordially invited.

Marian B. Lippitt.

Civilian defense costs are now a major item in the budgets of most American cities.

THE POCKETBOOK of KNOWLEDGE by TOPPS



CALENDAR

Wednesday, December 9—

Student Recital
—Horace Mann Auditorium 4:00 p. m.
Sororities and Fraternities
Chapter Houses 7:30 p. m.
Alpha Sigma Alpha Christmas Party—Chapter Rooms 8:00-10:00 p. m.
Sigma Tau Delta and Writers' Club Party—611 North Buchanan, 7:30 p. m.

Thursday, December 10

Northwest Missourian Staff Meeting—Room 215, at 9:25 a. m.
W. A. A.
Gymnasium 7:00 p. m.
Y. W. C. A. and Y. M. C. A.
Room 103 7:00 p. m.
Newman Club
Room 101 7:30 p. m.
Alpha Phi Omega

Friday, December 11

Alpha Sigma Alpha Pledge Party for Nursery Children—4:00-6:00 p. m.
Varsity Villager Informal Christmas Party

Saturday, December 12

Kappa Omicron Phi Initiation—Rooms 311 and 306 1:00 p. m.
Kappa Omicron Phi Founders' Day Banquet—Hotel Linville 6:30 p. m.
Christmas Victory Ball—Room 114 9:00 p. m., 1-10:00 a. m.
Sunday, December 13
"The Hanging of the Greens"—Residence Hall 4:00 p. m.

Monday, December 14

W. A. A.—Gymnasium 7:00 p. m.
Book Club—616 North Buchanan 7:15 p. m.
Kappa Omicron Phi—Home Economics House 7:15 p. m.
A. C. E.—Student Center Lounge 7:30 p. m.
Sigma Phi—Gymnasium 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday, December 15

Barkatze—Room 224 4:00 p. m.
W. A. A.—(Business Meeting)—Gymnasium 5:00 p. m.
Student Senate—Student Center 7:00 p. m.
Dance Club—Gymnasium 7:00 p. m.
Student Social Committee—Room 102 7:00 p. m.
International Relations Club—Room 103 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday, December 16

Sororities and Fraternities... Chapter Houses 7:30 p. m.
Residence Hall Capsule Pal Party

Thursday, December 17

Northwest Missourian Staff Meeting—Room 215, at 9:25 a. m.
Y. W. C. A. and Y. M. C. A.—Room 103 7:00 p. m.
Newman Club—Room 101 7:30 p. m.
Basketball game—Cape Girardeau—Gymnasium 8:00 p. m.

Friday, December 18

Assembly, Christmas Concert—Auditorium 11:00 a. m.
Christmas vacation begins
Christmas vacation ends Monday, December 28.

Quartermaster Training Is Offered to Graduates

ANN ARBOR, MICH.—(ACP)—Training for commissions in the quartermaster corps of the army is being offered undergraduate and graduate students at the University of Michigan.

A quartermaster unit of the reserve officer's training corps has been established under Lt. Ross B. Zartman, the sixth branch of the ROTC to be made part of the university's department of military science and tactics. The other units are: infantry, corps of engineers, signal corps, ordnance department and medical corps.

The Stroller

Everyone is now recuperated from Thanksgiving, finals, and registration, and the Stroller has enjoyed a nice long rest from the drudgery of strolling.

Fraternity and sorority initiations have been rather prominent during the past week. The poor actives are going to feel rather lost without their poor little pledges to pick on.

Teachers' meeting last week-end left many of the students with a comparatively easy class schedule—either no class at all, or student teachers, who suffered unknown torture at the hands of their fellow classmates.

The Stroller was curious to know if the "Panzer Movements" from the "Major and the Minor" were going to spread to the campus, but so far he hasn't noticed any such tendencies.

The plays last week furnished the student body with one of the most enjoyable assemblies of the year. Versatile Merton Haynes is to be congratulated on his directing, and acting, in not one, but both of the plays.

The Stroller wonders why Bob Shankland is dreaming of next Thanksgiving. Wouldn't he be because he can go to Bridgewater, Iowa, again to see a little red-haired Sophomore?

Gas rationing and coffee rationing came into their own last week, but the Stroller hasn't heard a great deal of criticism. Most of us are pretty happy to be doing our share.

Margaret Engelmann and Jean Hefflin spent a grand Thanksgiving holiday down in Chillicothe, and they weren't attending the Business College either.

The Phi Sigs gave a dance Friday night and a number of young ladies almost got camped because of it. It seems the dance was to end at 12:00 o'clock and they wouldn't have to be in until 12:15, but somehow the dance ended at 11:30 and many of the girls in question were a trifle late.

Among the couples at the Phi Sig affair were Beryl Sprinkel and Margaret Baker, Goodson Lee and Joyce Fink, and Larry Weeda and Claire Wallace.

Christmas is already hitting some of the students. Even the Stroller has been Christmas shopping—window shopping.

The snow really looks good, doesn't it? Many of our students are beginning to realize that this is a lovely campus, particularly under a snowy covering.

This "Abe" Lynam and June Conner affair is getting to be a habit. More of a complex maybe. Anyhow, they are a cute couple and they deserve publicity. (So the football team seems to think).

Have you all noticed that "stream-lined" jalopy Mr. Ralph Junior Phillips is sporting lately. Seems to be owned by a partnership—corporation might be better. Wonder if they have a board of directors to settle all squabbles. Incidentally, anyone desiring a free ride, if the individual is a good-looking blonde, brunette, or red-haired girl, just call Mr. Phillips at the Quad. As long as four gallons of gas holds out, the jalopy goes.

Hazel Hawkins, somebody's right-hand secretary, is sporting a new diamond. The Newman Club celebrated the occasion last Tuesday night.

Noticed Mary Frances Young's old pal up for the week recently.

The Hanging of the Greens, Christmas Ball, organization Christmas parties, sorority and fraternity dances, et cetera, will probably keep the Stroller out of mischief for some time.

Geology Class Discovers Skeleton of Dinosaur

CENTENNIAL, WYO.—(ACP)—Digging casually at a weathered bone jutting from a rock formation, University of Wyoming co-eds of a geology class discovered it was no ordinary soup-bone.

The thing extended deep into the earth. Calling Dr. S. S. Knight, director of the geology camp, they found it was a part of a dinosaur's skeleton that measured between 40 and 50 feet in length.

Dr. Knight hopes to unearth the complete skeleton.

Wabash Students Begin Fall Senior Study Camps

CRAWFORDSVILLE, IND.—(ACP)—Forty-four Wabash college seniors recently spent a week at the Shades, 15 miles southwest of Crawfordsville, inaugurating the fall session of senior study camps.

Discussions of topics relative to their courses and interests had been planned by a committee of the seniors. Guest speakers took part in informal evening discussions.

In 1942, 170,000 students graduated from colleges in the Soviet Union.

Aeronautical Engineers Study Diesel Airplane

COLLEGE STATION, TEXAS—(ACP)—The aeronautical engineering laboratory of Texas A. & M. college is possessor of the only Diesel airplane engine ever allowed to be used for classroom study, according to Dr. Howard Barlow, head of the department.

All other products of the Gutherison Diesel factory have been turned over to the government in the wartime program, but Allen W. Gutherison, vice-president of the company, got special release on the engine presented to the college, and future aeronautical engineers turned out by Texas A. & M. will be familiar with the workings of this new type power plant for airplanes.

A committee of selected aeronautical students spent several days in the Gutherison plant in Dallas recently and studied the new engine. As soon as official approval was received the engine was sent to the college so others enrolled in the department might study it.

Dr. H. P. Thielman, member of the mathematics faculty at St. Thomas college, has been named assistant professor of mathematics at Iowa State college.

{ Social Activities }

Residence Hall to Observe Ceremony

"Hanging of the Greens" Is Under Supervision of Miss Dorothy Truex.

This is the ninth year for the "Hanging of the Greens," the traditional Christmas ceremony at Residence Hall, to take place this year on Sunday, December 13, under the general supervision of Miss Dorothy Truex.

Mary Margaret Tilton will represent the Christmas Spirit, and Joyce Pink will be the reader, Emma Ruth Kendall will lead the Dorothea, Mona Alexander, portraying the Queen of Misrule, will represent the revelry and merry making which abounds during the Christmas season. The greens banners are to be Pauline Peel, Eleanor Peck, June Morris, and Shirley Hallen.

Miss Winifred Ann Carruth, who is in charge of the dancing, has planned two dances: "He Is Born" and "Morris Dance." Participants in these dances are Betty Drennan, Betty Steele, Martha Freide, Anna Ruth Steele, Hazel Ebersold, Marjorie Neal, Mary Rose Gram, Betty Joe Thompson, and Charlene Hornbuckle.

The girls in the Triple Trio, under the direction of Mrs. Hazel Carter, will sing. The girls are Melba Seltz, Betty Montgomery, and Betty Carter, first sopranos; Alice Marie Brynne, Darlene Showalter, and Maxine Hoernem, second sopranos; and Dorothy Steeby, Vivian Wilson, and Elizabeth Lippman, altos.

There will be a candlelight procession after which the guests will be taken on a tour through the dormitory.

The chairman of the various committees are as follows: Elaine Garsuch, general chairman; Marlene Osburn, Aileen White, Kathleen Donelson, Henrietta Keyes, Barbara Kowitz, Mary DeWitt, Mary Lee Wharton, Elizabeth Whitecomb, and Darlene Showalter.

High School Girl Tells About Mrs. Ford's Talk

One of the Horace Mann High School girls, Elizabeth Lou Davis, turned in the following story of one of the events of Book Week. Mrs. M. E. Ford, former head of the English department of the College, talked to the students about what books had meant in her life. The student's review of the talk follows.

"When I was a small girl I liked to go to my great-grandmother's house and look at her big French books. From these books I first learned to love history, romance, and adventure." Mrs. M. E. Ford told pupils of the Horace Mann High School about this at assembly on Friday, November 13.

She said, "The first lesson I learned from books—not to let fear get the better of one—was when I read about my Great Aunt Alice, who killed nine Indians with an ax while my Great Aunt Lucy lay fainting behind her."

She continued: "I learned much of Edgar A. Poe and Lord Byron from studying with my grandfather."

Board Advises Student Against Leaving College

The Kansas City, Kansas, Aviation Cadet Examining Board advises students to remain in college. Less than two weeks ago, Robert M. Coffman made an application to be an Aviation Cadet in the U. S. Army Air Corps. The board recommended that he apply for Aviation Cadetship on the "deferred status."

All college men are encouraged to remain in school if their grades are satisfactory. In the case of Mr. Coffman, an engineering student, the board made a statement to the effect that it was especially important for engineering students to remain in college.

Other branches of the service, including the Marines, Coast Guard, and the Navy are giving the same advice to men who are doing satisfactory work in college.

Captain Reid Writes

Captain T. C. Reid, on leave of absence from his position as business manager of the College, is now located at Lowery Field, Denver, Colorado. He is assistant to the Post Engineer. He writes that he is "well pleased with the set-up."

Cort Feurt, who has been commerce teacher and athletic coach at Burlington Junction for the last two years, is now at Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois, for a month of indoctrination for duty in the United States Naval Reserve.

Social Committee to Sponsor Victory Ball

The Student Social Committee is sponsoring a Victory Ball the evening of December 12. It will be given in the Old West Library between the hours of 9:00 and 1:00.

In keeping with the theme of the ball, war stamp corsages will be worn. These will soon be on sale in the halls of the Administration Building. The Social Committee wishes to invite all students to show patriotism to their school and to their country by attending the Victory Ball.

"Dormites" Will Hold Annual Capsule Party

Can a girl keep a secret? At least the Residence Hall girls are going to try. According to custom, each dormite will soon draw a "capsule pal," but the girls' name which she finds in the capsule is not to be revealed to anyone. Between the time of the drawing and the capsule Pal Party to be held at the Hall, December 16, each girl is expected to do three good deeds for her "pal" without revealing her own identity.

On the evening of the party, the secret will be disclosed, for each girl will find an inexpensive gift from her "capsule pal" on the big tree. It has been suggested that gifts this year might well be war stamps. If the girls have other gifts to exchange they may put them on the tree, too.

Another feature of this annual party is the filling of three Christmas baskets which will be delivered to needy families. Each floor is to complete one basket. It is hoped that every girl will contribute something for the baskets.

Elaine Garsuch, acting as general chairman, has appointed Miriam Murren to head the committee which has charge of the program and refreshments. Bonnie Patterson is chairman of the name committee. The captains in charge of filling the baskets are Ruth Ann Scott, first floor; Theron Erickson, second floor; Bernice Johnson, the third floor.

Engagements Announced

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wiley of Clarinda, Iowa, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Evelyn, to J. Marvin Wolfe of Miami, Oklahoma, son of Mr. and Mrs. Enos Wolfe of Tarkio. The wedding will take place in December.

Miss Wiley was graduated from the College where she was a member of the Alpha Sigma Alpha Sorority. Mr. Wolfe is a flight instructor at the British Flying School at Miami, where they will reside.

Senior Is Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Copeland of Lenox, Iowa, announce the engagement of their daughter, Phyllis, to Joy Hagee, son of Rev. and Mrs. E. P. Hagee of Lenox, formerly of Maryville. The wedding will take place in August.

Miss Copeland is a senior at Drake University at Des Moines, Iowa, where she was selected "Miss Drake of 1942" by the aviation cadets at Randolph Field, Texas. She is a member of the Alpha Xi Delta sorority.

Mr. Hagee is a senior at the College.

Former Student, Now in FBI Is Campus Visitor

Robert McQueen, a former student of the College and a major in social science, was a visitor on the campus on Monday and Tuesday before Thanksgiving. He is on leave from his work with the Federal Bureau of Investigation in Washington, D. C. He has been visiting his family at Farragut, Ia., his home.

Mr. McQueen is taking work at George Washington University and expects, when he receives his degree, to take up the study of law. Part of his work in the university consists in observation of high school classes. On account of the fact that his FBI work fills his day, he is visiting night classes in various high schools of the city. His own classes at the university meet at night.

The work in the Federal Bureau of Investigation Mr. McQueen finds interesting. His special duties are in the finger-printing department, where he works with identification, classification, and filing of the finger-prints which come to the Bureau.

Donald Russell, who has been located at Norfolk, Virginia, at Camp Allen, has been transferred to Camp Peary. He writes that Camp Peary is a new camp, one of three all under the same command. It is just now under construction in a thickly wooded, hilly region bordering the James river.

Robert Kyle, aerial cadet, has received his commission as second lieutenant, and is now taking further training in an aerial gunnery school at Harrington, Texas.

Varsity Villagers Entertain With Tea

Organization of Off-Campus Women Sponsors Tea to Honor Householders.

The Varsity Villagers, organization of women residing off the campus, entertained with a tea from 4 to 5:30 o'clock Sunday, November 22, at the home of President and Mrs. Uel W. Lamkin. The tea was in honor of the Women's Householders' Association. Invited guests were the householders and the faculty members and their wives.

The tea table was centered with a bouquet of yellow chrysanthemums and the other decorations and refreshments carried out the yellow and blue color scheme. Chrysanthemums were also used throughout the house. Pouring were Mrs. Virgil F. Parman, Mrs. Julian, C. Aldrich, and Mrs. Jewell Ross Davis.

In the receiving line were Miss Dorothy Truex and Miss Marian B. Lippitt, sponsors of the Varsity Villagers; Mrs. J. D. Mutz, president of the Women's Householders' Association; Betty Jo Thompson, president of the Varsity Villagers; and Dorothy Bundy, vice-president of the Varsity Villagers.

Music was furnished by a violin quartette under the direction of Miss Ruth Nelson. The quartette included Mary Ellen Tebow, Ruth Ann Scott, Faye Perry, and Margaret Baker.

Betty Jo Thompson was general chairman of the tea. Other committee chairmen included: greeting, Mary Uhlig; introduction to the line, Alice Noland; end of line, Irene Walkup; circulating, Maxine Hoernem; refreshments, Dorothy England; replenishing, Emma Posten; and committee in charge of music, flowers, and table setting, Mary Haines.

Mrs. Franklin Ewing Writes of Army Post

Franklin Ewing is now located at Miami Beach, Florida, where he is attending Officers' Candidate school. His wife, the former Miss Mildred Gathman, is with an aunt in McAlester, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Ewing, who was with her husband while he was stationed at the army post at Victorville, California, where he did his basic training, has sent a description of that camp, located in desert country.

"An army post," she writes "is very much like a small village. The post at Victorville had a library, cleaners' and tailors' shop, where they cleaned and pressed uniforms, a theater, three churches, a modern air-conditioned restaurant, barber shop, and the post exchange, also a government Post Office. It was divided into main streets and each street named. The Air Field and barracks for the soldiers were on the south side of the post. There were about nine different office buildings and a photograph department. The entire field was covered with sand, but soldiers had planted trees and shrubs around most of the buildings, and grass covered the 'yards' of most of the buildings; some flowers were blooming. All buildings were air-conditioned; so on the whole, it was a very nice place to work in, and I enjoyed it." (Mrs. Ewing worked in the Post Exchange, which was somewhat of a general store.)

Lieutenant Saylor Is Transferred to Purdue

Lieutenant J. Norvel Saylor, on leave of absence from the College to serve in the United States Navy, was on the campus Monday. He was here between his leaving the University of Chicago, where he has been in training, and his being transferred to Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana.

Lieutenant Saylor goes to Purdue for Naval Aviation training. Here he will be working with a group made up entirely of commissioned officers. He goes in as the senior ranking member.

Upon leaving the College, Lieutenant Saylor went to Dartmouth for naval indoctrination. From there he went to Chicago for advanced aviation ground school training. He had but started that course when he received his call to go to Purdue. Here he will help in setting up the indoctrination courses.

Hitchhikers Travel 600 Miles During Vacation

Shortage of rubber tires and gasoline was of no consequence to Robert Shankland and Dick Basford when they decided to travel during the Thanksgiving vacation. The two boys traveled approximately 600 miles via the thumb method. They visited Mr. Shankland's home in Clinton, Mo., and then hitchhiked to Bridgeport, Ia., where they were guests of Miss Margaret Arnold. In spite of his apparent success hitchhiking, Mr. Shankland advised against trying to travel far that way.

Robert Dowell Becomes Army Basketball Coach

Mr. Robert L. "Duck" Dowell, a former basketball star at the College was sworn in the army on November 6 as assistant to Captain Ted Shipkey, athletics officer at the army air base in Albuquerque, New Mexico. He will assist in coaching the Flying Kelly's basketball squad.

Mr. Dowell, who has been coaching at the Socorro, New Mexico, high school since 1939, twice rated national basketball honors. In 1932, he was ranked among the nation's top collegians while a guard at the College, and in 1937, he was an A. A. U. star with a Denver quintet which won the national championship.

James Woodburn, who completed the pre-flight training at St. Mary's College, California, has been transferred to Norman, Oklahoma, for further training.

Ensign Ford Bradley is now located with the Coast Guard at New Orleans, Louisiana.

Harry V. Davis Works Towards His Commission

"By the way, is there any chance of getting the Northwest Missouri sent here to me?" says Cpl. Harry V. Davis who is now stationed at Camp Davis, North Carolina. "I would like to keep up with the events of the college there, because I hope to return there some day."

Corporal Davis is now headed toward a second lieutenantcy, he says. "The school here is a dandy," he continues. "The instruction is so different from what I was formerly used to that it took me three weeks to get on the ball. They expect one to get it by one lecture—very few texts—and they never back up and explain anything either. So far I have done all right and have managed to pass every course: 'Basic Electricity,' 'Searchlights,' 'Height Finder,' 'Map Reading,' 'Math,' and miscellaneous subjects of the like." He hopes to get his commission about the first of February, though he says, "I continually keep my fingers crossed!"

H. Hadorn Trains Negro Air Forces

Located at George Field, He Starts Opportunity School for Men.

Hubert Hadorn, according to a letter received from him by Mr. Henry A. Foster of the Social Science department, is now located at George Field, Illinois, where he is Adjutant for the 211th Aviation Squadron. He came to this field after training in various camps since his enlistment a year ago last fall.

In September of last year he began teaching social studies in the high school at Hannburg, Iowa, but resigned shortly to join the air corps. He was sent to Bakersfield, California, and later to King City, California. On April 1, he arrived in Miami Beach, Florida, to attend the Officer Candidate School. On June 24, he received his commission and was assigned as an academic instructor on the Officer Candidate teaching staff. He remained on this job for four months, when he asked for an assignment which would enable him to learn more in army administration. He was ordered to report to Maxwell Field, Alabama, to be a pre-flight instructor, but asked again for something else with the result that he is now at George Field, Illinois, doing, as he says, "work that I like very much."

To Mr. Foster he writes, "I know you will be surprised on learning that this squadron is a Negro organization with the exception of the squadron commander and myself. At the present time these Negro soldiers are taking basic training and on completing this training will be assigned unskilled jobs in operating the air base."

Lieutenant Hadorn says that he has established an opportunity school for these men of the deep South, a good many of whom are unable to read and write. He is training them "in the 3 R's." He says,

"Many times I think of the faculty at Maryville," says Lieutenant Hadorn, "and attempt to sum up the influence they have had on my life." He asks that his best wishes to members of the faculty be extended.

Private Montgomery to Study While in Service

Private James Montgomery, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Montgomery of Maryville and a former student of the College, was on the campus last week making arrangements to take a correspondence course in American Literature. He is taking advantage of the government's plan to help men in the armed forces to continue their college work while in service.

Private Montgomery is stationed at Camp Savage, Minnesota. He says the camp there is for the training of some 500 American-born Japanese young men for work with the American military forces. They are being taught to speak the Japanese language and to do necessary duties which they can do better than can Americans of the white race. They will largely be given places in the information service.

The weather in Minnesota is pretty cold, Private Montgomery thinks; but he says the army provides plenty of warm clothing. He spoke especially of the woolen caps provided. Asked why he wore the regulation cap instead of his woolen one, he said, "Oh, the woolen ones are not very good looking! We like them up there, though, for they come down over the ears and under the chin and keep us warm."

The camp is located not far from Minneapolis and Private Montgomery says that the soldiers go to the city often. The camp has the usual social center—"Not a good place to study, however," said the young man who was considering the question of preparation of correspondence lessons. He said he would have to do his studying in the barracks and thought that there, too, he would find it rather hard to concentrate.

Two Alumni Instruct in Flying at Olathe, Kansas

Ensign William Bernau, a graduate of the College, whose home is at Earlham, Iowa, was recently a visitor at the College. He is now stationed at Olathe, Kansas, at the Naval Base there.

Miss DeLuce reports that she and Miss Blanche Dow saw Ensign Bernau during the Thanksgiving holiday when they were guests at Olathe of Lieutenant and Mrs. Lashley G. Harvey, sister of Miss Dow.

He told them that Ensign Vernon Green, another graduate of the College, was also stationed at Olathe. They are both instructors in flying.

Lieut. William Edison ("Bill") Blagg was recently graduated from the Army Air Force school at Lubbock, Texas. He has been assigned to Rosecrans Field, St. Joseph.

A letter from Paul Fletcher, a former student, reveals the fact that he is in Australia. He says that he is well.



Those in Service

NEW VALUES

(Neil Weary)
"It has given me, as it has given every other man who has gone through its experiences of death and destruction, who has seen men die cruel deaths, and property, paid for with sweat and toil and sacrifice, wiped out in a few seconds, a new set of values. Material things never mean as much after all that. And spiritual things loom large. We know that this war must save the soul of America—or that soul will be destroyed. It isn't for things that we are fighting. It is for ideals and for human rights. It isn't a war for automobiles, and tires and gasoline and sugar and coffee. Its measure of results will be the lengths we go in sacrifice for our ideals."

Editor's Note: This quotation, clipped from The Princeton Telegraph, is the answer that Neil Weary, a former student of the College, gave when he was asked the following question, "What has the war done to you, inside?"

Gex Brothers Are Fully Navy Minded

Three Already Serve; Two Others Offered Navy Assignments.

The Gex family of Graham, Ia. well represented in the armed forces of the United States, and all of the Gexs in service, sons of W. B. Gex, are former students or graduates of the College.

Joe Anderson Gex, who was a student in the College during the years of 1924-25, is a seaman, first class. He enlisted in the service in August and did his recruit training at the naval station at Great Lakes, Illinois. He is there at the present time, receiving specialist's training. He went into service from Mishawaka, Indiana, where he was credit manager for a rubber manufacturing company.

Virgil Gex, who was a student in 1934-36, went from the College to the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis. He is now in active service with the Navy in the South Pacific. His base is Pearl Harbor; he saw the attack on December 7 and has seen much fighting. He was recently promoted from lieutenant, junior grade, to lieutenant.

Donald Gex, who was a senior in College last year, went with the Bearcat Squadron to St. Mary's College, California, for aviation training. He did his ground school and primary and secondary flight training at the Maryville School of Aeronautics.

According to information received in Maryville, two other brothers, Brookings Gex, now with Swift and Company, St. Joseph, and Stanley Gex, formerly a teacher in the Central High school of St. Joseph and now in Civil Service in New Jersey, have been offered rating of seaman, first class, and a commission as ensign, respectively.

Lieutenant Neil Weary Is Given Extended Leave

Lieutenant Neil Weary of the United States Naval Air Corps, who is a former basketball player and a graduate of the College in 1940, has returned to his home in Cainesville, for an extended leave.

Lieutenant Weary is credited with shooting down several Messerschmitts in the Far East combat zone. His squadron was the first to step on the Guadalcanal territory after the landing of the marines. For thirty days, his squadron bombarded the Japanese, using Henderson Field as their base.

After taking his primary flight training at Fairfax Field in Kansas City, Lieutenant Weary was graduated as an ensign at Pensacola, Florida. He was assigned to the U. S. S. Saratoga and later to the U. S. S. Curtis, and was recently promoted to the rank of lieutenant, junior grade.

Lieutenant Weary has visited friends in Maryville for the past two week-ends.

Robert Runnels, a graduate of last year, has completed his basic training at Camp Roberts, California, and is now attending a non-commissioned school there.

Cadet Donald Mosser, a member of the graduating class of 1942, visited his parents in Maryville recently as he was on his way to Norman, Oklahoma, to continue training for the United States Air Force. He has been at St. Mary's College, California, for his pre-flight training.

Lieutenant Ralph A. Masteller, who has been on summer faculties of the College, is now stationed at Santa Ana, California, at the West Coast Army Air Base, as an instructor.

Wilbur Heekin, a graduate of the College, who has been a private, first class, with the Headquarters Company, 337th Infantry, 95th Infantry Division, has been promoted to technician, fifth grade. He is stationed at Camp Swift, Texas.

Roy Ferguson, a graduate of the College and a former member of the faculty, was graduated from an Army school at Madison, Wisconsin, November 14, and was sent immediately to Boca Raton Air Field in southern Florida. He will be there for 10 weeks of instruction.

Lieutenant Arthur F. Smith, a former student of the College, was a visitor on the campus last Thursday. Lieutenant Smith, who was a member of the Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity, is now stationed at Camp Gruber, Oklahoma.

Marvin Gench, one of the graduates of last year, writes from Camp Barkley, Texas, that he has completed his basic training there and has been transferred to Headquarters Detachment of MITC. He is assistant mail clerk there. He continues with the glue club, doing all of the baritone solo work for the club. He sings about every two weeks over the radio.

Bearcats Play St. Benedict's

Five Lettermen Return to Face Kansas Team at St. Benedict's.

Outlook Is Bright

Coach Stalcup Has Team on Edge for Opening Game Against Strong Foe.

With five lettermen returning to form the nucleus of the team, the Bearcat eagles will journey to Atchison, Kansas, tomorrow night to play the St. Benedict team.

Bearing the brunt of the scoring burden for the year will be Joe Lauchskis, Eddie Johnson, John Rudolph, Gene Cross, and Frank Meyers. These men are all lettermen, and each a potential hot shot at all times.

Making up the remainder of the Varsity prospects are Harold Wiseman, a former Townsend Leadway star; Allen Toll, who had experience last year; veterans Jim Corken and Bob Fletcher; Ready, Pierpoint, Segel, and Boswell, a group of newcomers who have much promise.

Coach Stalcup has been working hard with his proteges, and they appear to be in better condition than was last year's team in the early season.

Tomorrow night's game will undoubtedly reveal several "rough spots" in the team's game, and against a high powered team like St. Benedict's, it is not likely that victory will be easy to obtain.

Winkler, captain of the Kansas team, scored six points last week against Schooley's, a semi-professional team. His teammate, Windell, scored 19 points from his center position, and although the semi-professional team won 49-45, the St. Benedict's team was very impressive.

Next week the Bearcats will close pre-Christmas activity in a game with Cape Girardeau Thursday night on the home court.

Basketball Schedule For MIAA Is Drawn Up At League Meeting

Tentative basketball schedules for the MIAA, subject to change, were drawn up over the weekend at the conference meeting at Kansas City at which time Maryville and Cape Girardeau were officially awarded the 1942 football championship.

The two schools were hosts at a dinner at noon Friday noon at the Muehlebach hotel for twenty-two representatives of the league when J. W. Shannon, Springfield, was re-elected president; H. R. Dieterich, Maryville, was re-elected vice-president, and J. W. Jamison, Kirksville, was re-elected secretary. There were no rule changes, discussion being centered mostly on what extent the conference should try to carry on sports for the duration of the war.

A tentative schedule was made up, to be confined later this month when the schools are more certain as to what arrangements can be made about transportation. It was suggested that if it became necessary, two games be played at one school, thus eliminating a trip for a return engagement for the basketball teams.

Maryville representatives at the meeting were Uel W. Lamkin, president; Mr. Dieterich, and Coaches Ryland Milner and Wilbur Stalcup.

Schneiders Work for Douglas Aircraft, Inc.

Frederick Schneider, former editor of the Northwest Missourian, and his brother Jean Schneider are both employed in the Douglas Aircraft, Inc., Long Beach, California. They are in the same building, the building that houses the assembly line for the big four-motored Boeing B17F, the well-known "Flying Fortress." A letter from Frederick Schneider says that Paul Sloan is working in the same building.

Mr. Schneider says that he is getting his affairs in shape to join the military forces. He has not yet decided upon what branch he will enter, but favors the Air Corps. He is making inquiries about the CPT work here at the College.

Miss Nelson Organizes New Musical Ensemble

Miss Ruth Nelson, teacher of violin, has started a new musical organization on the campus. This organization is the Violin Quartet, composed of Mary Ellen Tebow, Ruth Ann Scott, Faye Perry, and Margaret Baker. It is to become a permanent organization on the campus.

The Violin Quartet played at the Varsity Villagers' Tea on November 22 and will perform for the Twentieth Century Club on December 14.

Miss Margaret Kyle of Graham, a graduate of the College, is expected to receive her commission as ensign in the WAVES within a short time. She is taking her training at Smith College, Northampton, Massachusetts.

Random Shots

Football is a thing of the past, and the All-Conference Team has been chosen. Bearcat fans should feel jubilant since four Maryville players made the first string. That was more than any other team placed, Cape Girardeau being closest with three.

There can be only eleven men on the first string. In a fairly well-balanced conference, it is difficult to select eleven men superior to any other eleven.

It must be hard to pick four backfield men out of a group consisting

of such capable men as Glover, Dick, Radcliffe, Padilla, Bennett, Hahe, Griffith, Martoglio, George Carafal, and Williams.

How can one select two superior guards from four men such as Strange, Adamson, Mazzoni, and Sapp?

Basketball is on the way in. Coach Stalcup has a nice looking squad to work with, and from here it looks as if his boys should go places.

The writer of this column hereby submits his own M. I. A. A. all conference teams for 1942:

Ends: Totoraitis, Maryville; Klosternan, Cape Girardeau.
Tackles: Ellison, Maryville; Migielicz, Cape Girardeau.
Guards: Strange, Maryville; Adamson, Springfield.
Center: Plammang, Maryville.
Backs: Padilla, Maryville; George, Springfield; Griffith, Cape Girardeau; Dick, Rolla.

Ends: Hellerich, Maryville; R. Anderson, Cape Girardeau.
Tackles: Thompson, Maryville; Woods, Rolla.
Guards: Johnson, Maryville; Eichenberger, Warrensburg.
Center: Kiburz, Rolla.

Backs: Williams, Springfield; Hahe, Cape Girardeau; Miller, Rolla; Bennett, Maryville.

Bearcats' Victory Over Warrensburg Climaxes Season

Bearcats Close Successful Season; Strong Forward Wall Was Asset.

In the final game of the season, the Maryville Bearcats rose to offensive heights and crushed the Warrensburg Mules, 52-0. The game was a wide open affair, even though the field was slightly on the damp side, because of a brief rain before the contest began.

Maryville scored in the first six minutes when Bennett crashed over from the one after a drive led by Padilla and Schmagel and end around plays had carried the ball to the goal line. Later in the quarter, Bennett intercepted a pass and then slipped inside tackle on a T formation lateral from Schmagel to score standing up from the twelve yard line.

The first team then left the game, but came back to score again on a pass from Fletcher to Schmagel who lateraled backhand to Gates, who scored. The play was good for 33 yards, and was set up by Schmagel's interception of a pass. Padilla kicked the point after the second touchdown.

In the second quarter, Willhite scored from the six on a lateral from Fletcher. Again in the second half, he scored on a 34 yard run off tackle to score without a hand being laid on him. Dygert completed the scoring in the third quarter by scampering 12 yards to score. In the fourth quarter, "Becky" Claybaugh plucked two passes out of the air intended for Warrensburg receivers and dashed 42 and 22 yards to touchdowns. Thompson booted a perfect placement after the last score.

For the Bearcats, Padilla, Totoraitis, Thompson, Bennett, Ellison, Strange, Plammang, Hellerich, and the rest of that fine first string played grand ball, and Fletcher played a surprisingly good game as tailback, as did Dygert.

It was a fitting climax to an and out season, and it proved that Coaches Milner and Stalcup had a better team than certain early season scores may have indicated.

Former English Teacher Publishes Poetry Volume

"Until This Moment" is the title of a first volume of poetry by Christ Jeffries, a member of the English faculty in the summer session of 1926. It is put out under the imprint of Banner Press, Publishers, Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia.

Miss Jeffries, a Missourian, has her Master's degree from the University of Missouri, has done advanced graduate work in creative English at Harvard University, and is now instructor in English at the New Jersey State Teachers College, Patterson, New Jersey. She has been writing a great deal, her work having appeared in seventeen anthologies, twenty-two newspapers, and forty magazines.

Miss Christine Mitchell and Mrs. Ann Nichols, former students are now teaching in Cheyenne, Wyoming. They have both completed their work for the Master's degree and were graduated in August from the Colorado State Teachers College at Greeley.

Robert Matheny of Blanchard, Iowa, suffered a head injury last Saturday afternoon when the bench on which he was sitting in the Smoker overturned and threw him against the iron register.

Des Moines, Iowa, are the parents of a daughter born November 15. Both parents are graduates of the College, Mrs. Kinder being the former Miss Evangeline Barton.

Team Shares Crown With Cape Indians

Maryville Wins Over Mules 52-0 for Closing Game; Team Plays Good Ball.

For the second successive year the Maryville Bearcats have captured a share of the M. I. A. A. conference football title. Last year, they clinched it with a 21-0 victory over Warrensburg in the final game of the season; this year, they grabbed a piece of the crown by trouncing the same team 52-0 in the closing game.

Coach Milner's boys performed amazingly well against the two strong teams of the conference, Rolla and Cape Girardeau. They took a favored Rolla team by a 22-13 measure in one of the best games played on the home field in years. After playing hard but ineffectively against Springfield and losing 13-14, the temperamental Bearcats came back home to clip a powerful and deceptive Cape Girardeau team, 7-6.

In the non-conference games of the season, the Maryville team broke even, winning from Chillicothe 51-0 in the opening game, tying a powerful East Kentucky squad 7-7, and bowing to aerial minded Rockhurst, 0-14.

A great asset to the Bearcats was their strong forward wall. It was packed with hard charging men from end to end and often proved to be the life belt of the team. The backfield was relatively fast, but the absence of good downfield blocking often accounted for the failure to score.

Alumna Supervises Lunch Program in Four Counties

Miss Florine Allen, a graduate of the College with a major in home economics, is now located in Maryville, with an office in the Nodaway county court house. She is district supervisor of the school lunch program for Andrew, Atchison, Nodaway, and Holt counties.

Before taking this position, Miss Allen had been a dietitian in Menorah Hospital, in Kansas City. She did graduate work at George Peabody College and at the University of Missouri.

Miss Allen is living in the Bon Air apartments.

Robert Hill of Missouri University Heads Drive

Robert E. Lee Hill, of Columbia, Alumni Director of Missouri University, has been named to head the Victory Fund Committee for the 95 counties of Missouri located in the eighth Federal Reserve District, which are taking part in a nationwide drive to sell \$9,000,000,000 in government securities to help pay the cost of the war. The drive, which opened Monday, November 30, will continue for several weeks.

The sum to be raised, the biggest single amount ever borrowed by any government in history, is three billion dollars greater than the amount secured in the Fourth Liberty Loan drive in 1918.

Death of Brother Calls Miss Helwig to Arkansas

Miss Katherine Helwig of the Mathematics department of the College and her sister, Miss Orril Helwig, were called to Little Rock, Arkansas, November 22, on account of the death of their brother, F. B. Helwig of that city. Mr. Helwig had been in failing health for several years.

The funeral was held in Little Rock on the following Tuesday. The Misses Helwig remained with their brother's wife until after Thanksgiving day.

Marker for Gift Tree of Class of 1940 Is Placed

Members of the Class of 1940 who planned a unique marker for their gift tree to the College will now be able to see the marker in place at the foot of their tree, for just recently has it been completed and set up. It is to be seen north of the Horace Mann Laboratory School, marking the fine young tulip tree which was the gift of the class.

Wilmer Allison, chairman of the Tree Committee, with Mr. Frank Horsfall of the Agriculture department of the College and some other members of the Class of 1940, went out to the country east of the 102 River and found there a fine specimen of igneous stone with glacial scratches on one comparatively smooth face of it. They took it to Mr. Clinton Allen of the Clinton Allen Monument works, who agreed to cut the inscription on the stone.

The face of the stone bears the following: "Tulip Tree—Liriodendron tulipifera pyramidalis—Class of 1940." It is carved across the glacial scratches as it was thought that it would be more valuable, as well as more artistic, to preserve them than to have polished the face.

The stone is greenish in color and fine for cutting. A peculiarity of it is that the color of the carving and the sharpness of the stone show up better when the stone is wet.

Community Teachers Endorse FTA Move

Following a study of the movement known as Future Teachers of America (FTA), the officers of the Northwest Missouri State Teachers Association, submitted to the Association the following recommendation:

"The Executive Committee recommends that the Community Teachers Association encourage the formation of FTA chapters and clubs in the colleges and high schools of Northwest Missouri and that we give our full support to any association so formed within this community."

The Association endorsed the recommendation. The committee stated the purposes of the FTA movement as follows:

1. To develop among young people preparing to be teachers an organization which will be an integral part of state and national associations.
2. To acquaint teachers in training with the history, ethics and programs of the organized teaching profession.
3. To give teachers in training practical experience in working together in a democratic way on the problems of the profession and the community.
4. To interest the best young men and women in education as a lifelong career.
5. To encourage careful selection of persons admitted to schools which prepare teachers, with emphasis on both character and scholarship.
6. To seek through the dissemination of information and through higher standards of preparation to bring teacher supply and demand into a reasonable balance.

Corporal Woodrow Campbell, now located with the 46th General Hospital at Fort Riley, Kansas, was a campus visitor last week. He was on a week's furlough. He is in the personnel division, working particularly in the filing department.

Enlistees Are to Be Reported if Failing

Editor's Note: For the information of all men enlisted in the Navy program, Class V-1 and Class V-7, the following excerpt from a notification sent to Dean Jones by the Bureau of Naval Personnel is printed.

It is important that armed service representatives keep the Navy Department informed concerning the status of students enlisted in the two accredited college programs. The reports in this respect should be rendered immediately following the commencing of each semester and should include the names of V-1 and V-7 enlistees who have failed to return to college or who for any reason are no longer in good standing at the institution.

To guide armed service representatives in determining whether or not such student enlistees are in good standing the ruling established by the Bureau of Naval Personnel is quoted herein:

"A student is considered to be 'in good standing' as long as his academic record is maintained at the level or above that required by the institution for the conferring of a baccalaureate degree. A student will be considered as 'not in good standing' if he failed at the end of any academic term, quarter or semester to maintain normal progress, (i. e., to maintain the scholastic average required by his institution for the conferring of the baccalaureate degree) even if the institution is willing to allow the student to continue 'on probation.'"

Philip Geyer Serves at Camden, South Carolina

Philip Geyer, a former student of the College, has completed pre-flight school at Maxwell Field, Alabama, and is "now deep in primary here at Camden, South Carolina," to quote his letter to the faculty adviser to the staff of the Northwest Missourian.

Mr. Geyer writes to say how thoroughly he is enjoying the news from the College. "I enjoy reading about what is happening there at school," he says. "It seems as though there have been a good many changes made since I left. The paper also helps me to keep up with all the fellows I knew in school, as more and more of them are going into the service, all branches and stations too."

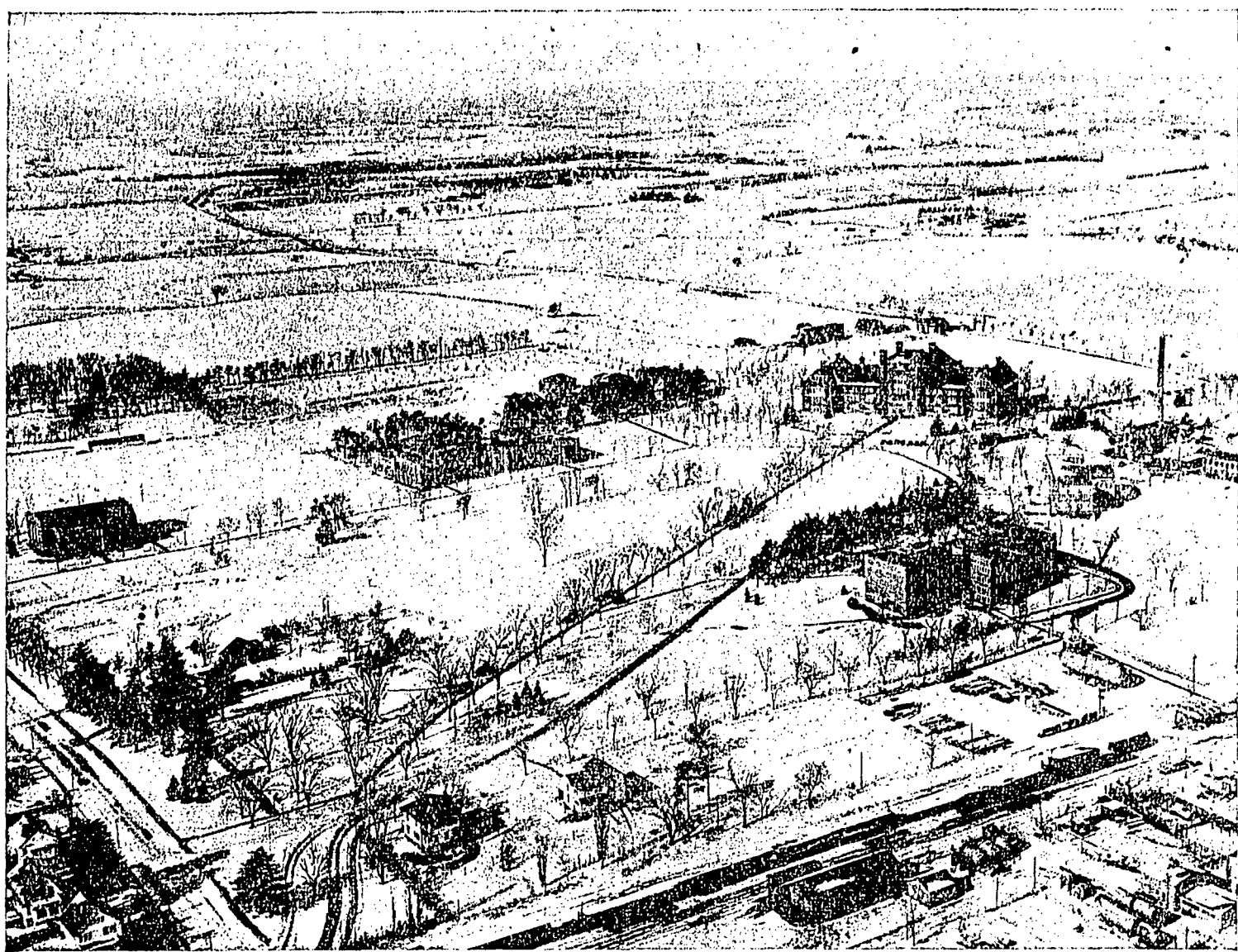
While Mr. Geyer was at Maxwell Field he saw several former students of the College, among them Gale Donahue, Glenn Alloway, and Dick Anthony.

Brothers Are Together

Private William D. Somerville, son of Mr. Leslie G. Somerville of the College faculty, has been transferred from Camp Callan, San Diego, California, to Camp Davis, North Carolina, where he is now a member of the Regimental band. This puts him into the same band with his brother, Private Leslie J. Somerville. The two men were inducted in August, 1942, and were sent to opposite sides of the United States for training.

Spend Holiday in Olathe

Miss Blanche H. Dow of the French department and Miss Olive S. DeLuca of the Fine Arts department spent their Thanksgiving holiday in Liberty, the guests of Mrs. E. W. Dow, mother of Miss Dow, and in Olathe, Kansas, the guests of Miss Dow's sister, Mrs. Lashley G. Harvey, and Lieutenant Harvey and their son David.



Airplane View of Campus Under Cover of Snow

1942 M. I. A. A. All-Star Teams

First Team	Position	Second Team
Player and College		Player and College
J. Klosternan, Cape.....	End	Rolla Anderson, Cape
S. Totoraitis, Maryville	End	John Moore, Mo. Mines
Jim Ellison, Maryville	Tackle	Si Grantham, Spring'd
Ed Migielicz, Cape.....	Tackle	Anton Leone, Mo. Mines
M. Adamson, Spring'd	Guard	J. Mazzoni, Mo. Mines
W. Sapp, Cape Girard.	Guard	R. Strange, Maryville
M. Kiburz, Mo. Mines	Center	H. Plammang, M'ville
Bill Bennett, Maryville	Back	Byford Barr, Cape G.
Gil Carafail, Mo. Mines	Back	Al Dick, Mo. Mines
D. George, Springfield	Back	Henry Tohe, Cape G.
Jack Padilla, Maryville	Back	L. Mortoglio, Cape G.

Honorable Mention: Ends: Hellerich, Knoxville; Murry, Warrensburg; Long, Springfield. Tackles: Knox, Cape Girardeau; Green, Warrensburg; Thompson, Maryville; Woods, Mo. Mines. Guards: Kern, Springfield; Eigelberger and Mumma, Warrensburg; Kane, Mo. Mines; Johnson, Maryville. Centers: D. Anderson, Cape Girardeau; Pottenger, Springfield. Backs: Radcliffe, Glover, Miller, and Boetjer, Mo. Mines; Griffith and Warrenner, Cape Girardeau; Williams, and Blair, Springfield; Howard, Warrensburg; Schmagel and Fletcher, Maryville.

Local Teachers Association Is Planning Work

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and social services to these community-in-service programs, and

c. that these specialists should be urged to participate in such an activity as a part of their professional responsibility.

"IN ORDER TO ACHIEVE THESE ENDS, WE URGE THE FOLLOWING:

"1. In regard to the teacher training program:

a. The Missouri State Teachers Association and the National Education Association should engage in a campaign to protect teacher training programs against a drain in personnel, students, and finances resulting from over-emphasis on pre-induction training;

b. The Missouri State Teachers Association and The National Education Association should request that community and national man-power boards should support the recruitment of able persons to enter teacher training;

c. Teacher training institutions should engage in a thorough-going program of improvement in the light of the researches and studies of the Commission on Teacher Training of the American Council on Education, of the Educational Policies Commission, of the Progressive Education Association, and of the leading associations of teachers in subject matter fields;

"2. In regard to the improvement of teachers in service:

a. The community teachers associations, the Northwest Missouri Teachers Association and the Missouri State Teachers Association should urge superintendents and principals to organize study programs within their school systems to investigate the effect of the war upon the school, the community, and the program of instruction;

b. The teacher training agencies, i. e., the five state state teachers colleges and the College of Education of the state university, should initiate programs of in-service assistance to all school districts of the state. These agencies, in co-operation with the community, district and state teachers associations should set up panels drawn from their various faculties, guidance specialists, and social service workers, such panels to be made available to the schools of the districts.

c. The Northwest Missouri Teachers Association and the Missouri State Teachers Association and their component community associations should encourage the

schools of the districts to utilize such panels of experts in their in-service programs at the expense of the State and District Teachers Associations."

C. K. Thompson, a graduate of the College, who has been superintendent of schools at Mound City, has accepted the position of superintendent of schools at Excelsior Springs. He and his family went to the new place the first of December.

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Four Bearcats Put on League All-Star Team

Jim Ellison and Jack Padilla, on 2nd Last Year, Are Pushed Up.

War Makes Inroads Into Clubs of MIAA

Final 1942 Standings

	W	L	T	Pts	Op
Maryville.....	3	1	0	94	33
Cape Girardeau.....	3	1	0	59	19
Missouri Mines.....	2	2	0	94	38
Springfield.....	2	2	0	41	45
Warrensburg.....	0	4	0	7	132

Kansas City —(P)— War inroads on player talent is reflected in the 1942 Associated Press M. I. A. A. Conference All-Star football teams chosen in a poll of coaches, newspapermen and officials.

Of the 22 men honored last year only two participated in conference play this fall, a majority of the other 1941 stars were lost to the armed services or war industries.

The two holdovers, Jim Ellison and Jack Padilla, Maryville tackle and fullback, were named to the first team. Both were second team members last season.

Cape Girardeau and Maryville, the Co-champions of the loop, obtained seven of the first team berths, the other four being divided between Missouri Mines, and Springfield the runnerup squads.

No Unanimous Choices

There were no unanimous choices, and although the voting was well distributed—testimony to closeness of the conference race, which wasn't decided until the last pair of games—most of the first team selections landed places without too much competition. The only tight struggle developed in the backfield where Al Dick of Missouri Mines, and Lawrence Mortoglio of Cape Girardeau, pushed Gil Carafail, Missouri Mines, and Dean George, the Springfield veteran, for top honors.

Three of Coach Ryland Milner's Bearcats, Ellison, End Stanley Totoraitis and Quarterback Bill Bennett, and Cape Girardeau's star guard, William Sapp, were the athletes most frequently mentioned by the selectors.

Warrensburg, defeated in all of its season games, failed to win a position on either of the first two teams, but received five honorable mentions.

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